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## Social and Personal

Miss Rachel Urquhart gave a very pretty little tea yesterday afternoon for some of the younger society girls at her home, 195 East Franklin Street. Guests were invited at 5 o'clock, and the parlors were arranged with bowls of spring flowers. In the dining room the tea table was arranged with a big silver basket filled with violets and jonquils, and the candles were shaded in yellow and gold. Mrs. Warner McCabe and Miss Carrie Minor were at the punch bowl.

Mrs. Herbert Funsten entertained at luncheon Thursday at her home on Monument Avenue. Spring flowers in the center bowl decorated the luncheon table.

Among the many informal functions that followed the "Society Vaudeville" performances were several supper parties given for the Indian dancers. Miss Elsie Parrish entertained them at her home on Thursday evening, and Miss Jellis Scott was hostess in their honor on Wednesday. This evening Miss Mary Scarborough is giving a dinner of twenty-two covers at the Country Club in honor of those taking part in the Indian dance.

**Visiting Home.**  
Miss Ulline Valden, who is visiting Mrs. W. M. Parrish, Jr., of 2523 Stuart Avenue, will leave on Friday, February 16, for Lexington, where she will attend the dances at the Virginia Military Institute and Washington and Lee University. Miss Valden will also visit the Misses Taylor, at 117 Grove Avenue, before returning to her home in New Kent county.

**Pretty Norfolk Tea.**  
Mrs. John L. Roper and the Misses Roper entertained Wednesday afternoon at an exceedingly pretty tea given from 5 to 7 at their residence in Norfolk.

The drawing room was decorated in pink Killarney roses, palms and ferns, and in dining room jonquils were used with green and silver shaded candles. Mrs. Roper, Miss Margaret and Virginia Roper, and Miss Adele Williams, of Richmond, received. Mrs. Mason Patrick and Mrs. George Roper served punch, and Mrs. William Roper poured tea.

Among those who assisted in the dining room were Miss Marian Wilkerson, Miss Mae Perry, Miss Emily Allyn, Misses Elizabeth Roper and Lella Taylor.

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**For Mrs. Lee.**  
Miss Frankie McKinney entertained recently at her home, in Farmville, in honor of Mrs. Lee, of this city. Miss McKinney spent the month of January with her mother in Richmond, after an extended stay in New York.

**Valentine Ball.**  
All the fashionable boys and girls in town are going to the big Valentine ball this afternoon at the Jefferson Hotel. The affair is given by the Mary Thomas Auxiliary to the Virginia Home for Incurables, and will take place in the ball room of the hotel. Decorations will be in red and white, and Martha Wall and Hall Mason will lead the grand march of children, who have been trained by Miss Ella Hinford. All those who have fancy costumes have been requested to wear them, and all sorts of novel features have been arranged by Miss Ella Buck and Miss Lucy Ford Wortham, who are on the entertainment committee.

Others on the committee are Messrs. James Miller, J. Jordan Leach, Hamberlin, Charles Wortham, Jr., Miller, A. J. Battle and Miss Mary Thomas. There will be music and dancing and a large number of children will be present.

**In Washington.**  
Mrs. W. R. Strees, of this city, who is visiting Mrs. Harry Kimmett, in Washington, received with Mrs. Kimmett at her home yesterday afternoon. Miss Lucile Tully Pelouze, of 2000 West Grace Street, left yesterday morning for Washington, where she will attend the Virginia-Washington track meet. Miss Pelouze will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Pelouze at the Columbia Apartments during her stay in Washington.

**Going South.**  
Miss Edith Luxmore Crump will leave town in the early spring for the South, where she will visit friends and relatives for the month of April and May. Miss Crump will go to New York in the summer, where in August, she will enter the Bellevue Hospital Training School for Nurses.

**Entertained in Florida.**  
The Pensacola Journal of recent date contains the following of interest to Richmond society.

"Mrs. C. S. Bonacker was hostess at a decidedly pleasant meeting of the New City Club, a note of the approaching St. Valentine season being introduced very skillfully and prettily in the place of cards. There were five tables playing, and several games were enjoyed. The hospitality of Mrs. Bonacker, among whom was her guest, Miss Addie Carter Williams, of Richmond, a very capable musician, who added to the afternoon with several beautiful solos. Miss Williams is being much admired in Pensacola, and many will be interested to learn that she will sing at the evening service on Sunday at the Gadsden Street M. E. Church."

**Interesting Recital.**  
An interesting recital will be given this afternoon at the Hequembourg school of music, when Miss Manie Keck, violinist, and Miss Ada Anderson, pianist, will be heard. The recital will be given at the studio, 1015 West Grace Street, at half-past 4 o'clock, and will be a very pleasing affair.

**At the Y. W. C. A.**  
Tomorrow afternoon at 5:30 the Young Women's Christian Association will be at home to the young women of Richmond at the Fern Leaf, on Grace and Fifth Streets. Dr. John H. Eager, who was a resident of Italy for sixteen years, will talk on that country, and Mrs. Clarence Cadot will sing. Tea will be served.

**In and Out of Town.**  
Miss Louise Jenkins and Alfred Jenkins left Wednesday for Florida, where they will spend several weeks, visiting Havana before their return.

**Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Armstrong** will attend the show of the Automobile Club of Maryland, to be held in the Fifth Regiment Armory, Baltimore, February 20-25.

Miss Dorothy Sachs has returned to the city after visiting Mrs. Ross Cohen, in Newport News, this week.

Mrs. Charles Bryan, of Williamsburg, is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Zelle Gentry will leave next week to visit Miss Evelyn Sutherland in Newport News.

John S. Munce, of this city, is registered at the Chalfonte Hotel, in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Thomas P. Dietrick and Miss Grace Danforth are the guests of Miss Rhoda Dietrick at Powhatan Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Britton Lawson, of Loudoun county, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Charles A. Dimpsey, at 1610 Park Avenue.

J. R. Gregory and G. W. Freiwel have returned to Staunton, after spending a few days in this city.

Mrs. Frank Epps, who has been visiting friends in Richmond, has returned to her home in Farmville.

Miss Mary Johnston has returned to Richmond after a short stay in Lynchburg.

Mrs. Cunningham Hall has returned to Richmond, after visiting her sister, Mrs. Claude A. Swanson, in Washington.

Mrs. W. W. Foster, who has been at the Memorial Hospital for several weeks, is now convalescing at her home in Highland Park.

Miss Carolyn Nachman, of 1111 West Franklin, will be at home informally Sunday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Fannie Rosenbaker, of Winston-Salem, N. C.

Mrs. John Franklin Templeton and Miss Mary O'Connell, of Washington, are at the Jefferson with Colonel Templeton, who is a member of the House of Delegates.

**JUDGE SKEEN SETS DATE FOR HEARING**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Bristol, Va., February 9.—Judge Skeen, of the Circuit Court, embracing Lee county, has set February 26 as the date for hearing the cases of 141 persons indicted for alleged participation in election frauds in that county.

Senator John C. Noel and Judge J. W. Orr have been retained to represent most of those indicted. It is stated in this connection that if certain of those indicted are to be tried in these cases have any merit in law the indictments may all fall.

Orville Collins, one of the indicted men, has confessed his guilt to Commonwealth's Attorney Skeen and has deposited \$9.50 to pay the cost of the indictment. Two other men talked of doing the same, but fearing perpetual disfranchisement, have decided to stand trial.

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**INSANE PATIENT KILLED BY TRAIN**

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Roanoke, Va., February 9.—John Vihernan, twenty-four years old, who yesterday escaped from Guard J. Webster, of the Southwestern State Asylum for the Insane, when he arrived here for Stuart, and was recaptured and started again for the asylum, made another and a successful dash for liberty last night, while being conveyed from the station at Marion to the institution. This morning he was run down by Norfolk and Western passenger train No. 29, near Marion, and killed. Vihernan was told to get off the track when the train approached, but failed to heed the warning.

Yesterday he gave Guard Webster a two-mile run here, but was finally captured, and left here yesterday afternoon for Marion.

**Charged With Robbery.**  
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Amherst, Va., February 9.—Sheriff R. H. Drummond has returned from West Virginia, bringing with him George Mays, the young white man, who was arrested in that State on the charge of breaking into and robbing the store of Ward Cash at Lovettsville a few days ago. Mays was lodged in the Amherst Jail, and will probably be tried next Monday before a magistrate.

**AN ALMANAC AS LIFE SAVER**

What She Read in a Little Book Proved to Be Helpful and Showed a Kentucky Lady How to Regain Her Health.

Covington, Ky.—"Everybody thought I had consumption," writes Mrs. Martha Owens of this place.

"Nobody believed I could ever get well. According to them, I should be in my grave now and not up writing letters. One day a Ladies' Birthday Almanac fell into my hands. I read it and told my husband that I would try Cardui, for I felt that what the book said that this medicine would do."

I bought a bottle, took the medicine, and began to get better right away. I could feel how it was doing me good. After I had taken five bottles the pain and hurting was all gone, and I felt so well and happy."

During the time I was sick I couldn't do anything, no sweeping, no housework of any kind, and sometimes my head would hurt from sun-up to sun down."

Now all this has changed, and I have to thank Cardui for it.

Put my name in the papers, so that everybody may know what Cardui has done for me and that others may try this medicine, which, I am sure, will help them, too."

N. B.—Write to Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper on request.

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**Building Permits.**  
Building and repair permits were issued yesterday as follows:

August Ringgold and A. T. Sheppard, to erect a two-story brick tenement, two stories, on the east side of Hull Street between Sixth and Seventh Streets, South Richmond, to cost \$10,000.

Hampton-Sidney College, to repair three frame dwellings, 1706-1707-1709 Baldwin Street, to cost \$700.

T. E. O'Keefe, to repair four frame dwellings, 1002-1004-1006-1008 Buchanan Street, to cost \$700.

Brick Printing Company (Inc.), to repair a brick printing office, 101-103 Governor Street, to cost \$800, recently damaged by fire.

L. E. Ullman, to repair a frame dwelling, 1716 Venable Street, to cost \$120.

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The office of King's remembrancer is a very ancient one. In the days of the early Norman rulers, of the Plantagenets, and of the Tudors, it was a lucrative berth was a high official of the royal court of the exchequer, and he was expected to keep a record of those nobles whose lines and dues had remained unpaid, to look after the numerous royalties of the crown, to attend to the needs and estates that had been for taxation forfeited to the sovereign, and to supervise the due payment of the first fruits. Many of these duties have been taken over by the Inland Revenue and Treasury Departments, and while most of the royal duties have been taken over by the "Fiscal," the "Clerk of the Pipe," the "Surveyor of the Green Wax," the "Clerk of the Estcheat," and the "Clerk of the Kitchen," the office of "First Fruits," have been legislated out of office, the King's remembrancer himself remains.

His duties as remembrancer are confined to attendance in the court of the Lord Chief Justice, at the ceremony called the "Pricking of the Sheriffs," nominated by the King, and on the morning of St. Martin's Day, attendance at the swearing in of the Lord Mayor of the city of London, and the acknowledgment of homage for the holding of crown lands. He also supervises the periodical testing of the various standards of coinage, known as the Trial of the Pyx.

An important office which Sir John will henceforth fill is that of King's coroner, a post which dates from the time when the monarch's court sheltered any number of picturesque vagabonds and strange deaths were not uncommon. The coroner's jury in such cases has always been impaneled either from members of the royal household or else from royal warrant holders, that is to say, the regularly appointed purveyors of the court and household.

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